Module 29

Things to Know

1. How can we define language?
2. Structure of language
   1. Phonemes
   2. Morphemes
   3. Grammar
   4. Semantics
   5. Syntax
3. Language Development
   1. Examine the nature nurture controversy Skinner-Chomsky
   2. How does language develop infancy to early childhood
   3. Grammar development
   4. Critical period?
4. Do animals have language?
   1. Examine both sides
5. Language and thinking
   1. Benjamin Whorf’s *linguistic relativity* theory
   2. Bilingualism
   3. Thinking with images not words